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NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD REGARDING AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE AN AIR POLLUTION-EMITTING SOURCE

PROPOSED ACTION: Lignetics, Sandpoint, Idaho applied to the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) for a permit to construct and operate an air pollution-emitting source located at Highway 200 East, Kootenai, Idaho. DEQ has determined that construction and operation according to the proposed permit will not cause or significantly contribute to a violation of any ambient air quality standard and will not injure or unreasonably affect human or animal life or vegetation. DEQ has reviewed the application and completed an analysis of the information submitted by the applicant to install a new dryer line, a supplemental wood fuel grinder, replacement multiclone, ID fan, and stack. Based on this analysis, DEQ proposes to issue the permit to construct to Lignetics, Sandpoint.

<u>PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:</u> Notice is given that the DEQ has scheduled a period to receive public comments under Docket No. AQ - 0623 concerning the air quality aspects of the project application and the proposed permit in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.209. A package containing the information submitted by the applicant, DEQ's analysis, and the proposed permit is available for public review at the following locations:

DEQ State Office DEQ Regional Office East Bonner County Public Library
1410 N. Hilton 2110 Ironwood Parkway 1407 Cedar Street
Boise, Idaho Coeur d'Alene, Idaho Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

Anyone may submit written comment regarding the project and proposed permit. To be most effective, comments should address air quality considerations and include supporting materials where available. Comments, requests, and questions regarding the public comment process should be directed to Joan Lechtenberg, Department of Environmental Quality, 1410 N. Hilton, Boise, Idaho 83706-1255; joan.lechtenberg@deq.idaho.gov; or (208) 373-0234. Please reference the company name and docket number when sending comments or requesting information.

For technical assistance on questions concerning this project or the permitting process, please contact Bill Rogers at (208) 373-0502.

All written comment and data concerning this proposal must be directed to and <u>received</u> by the undersigned on or before 5 p.m. MDT, October 20, 2006.

DATED this 20 day of September, 2006.

Joan Lechtenberg
Air Quality Division